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Airplane View of Shaw University

All Baptist Diamond Jubilee

PROGRAM

MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM ♦ RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA

August
3-6

C. E. GRIFFIN

Executive Secretary and Director of Jubilee

THE REVEREND P. A. BISHOP

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General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

MRS. VIOLA McMILLAN

President

Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Convention

MR. E. M. BUTLER

President

State Sunday School Convention

THE REVEREND JAMES F. WERTZ

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DR. O. S. BULLOCK

Chairman

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MR. OTIS L. HAIRSTON

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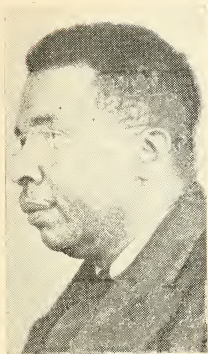
SHAW PRESIDENTS



Top, left to right: DR. R. P. DANIEL, DR. WILLIAM S. NELSON.

Center: DR. H. M. TUPPER.

Bottom, left to right: DR. J. L. PEACOCK, DR. F. M. MESERVE.

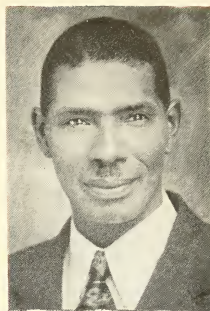


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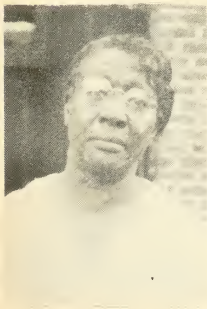
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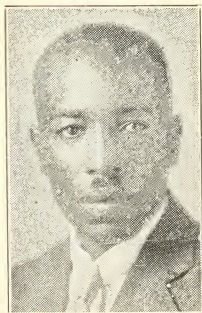
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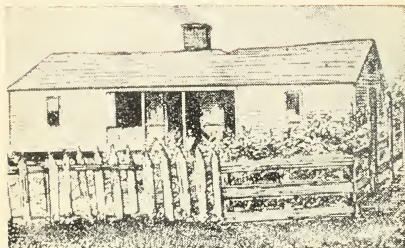
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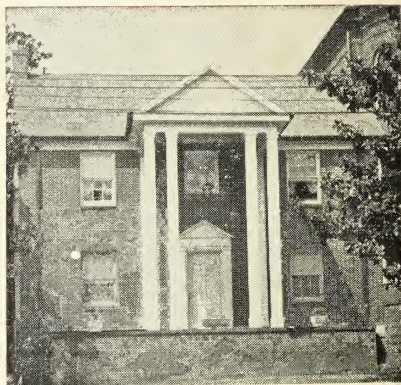
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REV. J. F. WERTZ
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ALL BAPTIST DIAMOND JUBILEE

THEME: *"Baptist Working Toward a Christian Democracy"*

MONDAY, August 3, 1942

- 3:00 P.M. General Board Meeting—Dr. J. T. Hairston, Chairman, Presiding
- 7:30 P.M. The Reverend P. A. Bishop, Presiding
- Devotions: "Baptists Working Toward a Christian Democracy in the Local Church"
1. The Reverend J. E. Tillett, Moderator, Roanoke Association, Edenton, N. C.
 2. The Reverend F. W. Elliott, Pastor, First Baptist Church, High Point, N. C.

PROGRAM OF WELCOME

The Reverend V. T. Williams, Master of Ceremonies, Pastor, Martin St. Baptist, Raleigh, N. C.

Music Furnished by: First Baptist Church Choir, Dr. O. S. Bullock, Pastor, Raleigh, North Carolina

Expressions of Welcome:

On Behalf of Churches of Raleigh

Dr. C. C. Scott, Pastor, St. Paul A. M. E. Church, President, Ministerial Alliance of Raleigh, North Carolina

On Behalf of City of Raleigh:

The Honorable Graham H. Andrews, Mayor

Greetings from White Baptists of North Carolina:

Mr. M. A. Huggins, General Secretary, Baptist State Convention, Raleigh, North Carolina

Introduction: Dr. James E. Sheperd, President, North Carolina College for Negroes, Durham, North Carolina

Address: His Excellency J. Melville Broughton, Governor of North Carolina

Response: Dr. J. H. Thomas, Pastor, Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, Durham, North Carolina

Address: The Reverend W. C. Somerville, Executive Secretary, Lott-Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention, Washington, D. C.

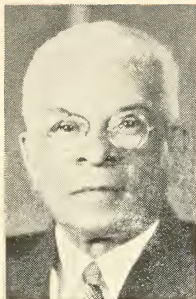
Announcements

Benediction: The Reverend L. J. Alexander, Wise, North Carolina

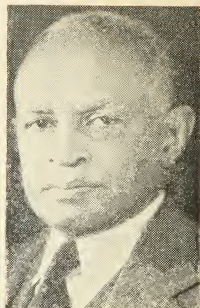
TUESDAY, August 4, 1942

GENERAL CONVENTION MEETS

- 3:00 P.M. Devotions: "Baptist Working Toward a Christian Democracy Through Worship"
1. The Reverend G. C. Crawford, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
 2. The Reverend R. J. Davidson, Charlotte, North Carolina
- Keynote Address: Dr. O. S. Bullock, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Raleigh, North Carolina
- Jubilee Sermon: Dr. J. T. Hairston, Pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Greensboro, North Carolina
- Appointment of Committees
- Announcements



DR. C. C. SPAULDING, President,
North Carolina Mutual Life
Insurance Co., Durham, N. C.



DR. JAMES E. SHEPHERD, President,
North Carolina College for
Negroes, Durham, N. C.



His Excellency, J. MELVILLE BROUGHTON,
Governor of North Carolina



DR. O. S. BULLOCK, Raleigh,
Chairman of the Executive Board
of the General Convention



REV. W. C. SOMERVILLE, Executive
Secretary, Lott-Carey Baptist For-
eign Mission Convention,
Washington, D. C.

Jubilee Personalities

STATE MISSION NIGHT

The Reverend D. C. Gore, First Vice-President, Presiding

Music furnished by: Martin Street Baptist Church Choir, The Reverend V. T. Williams, Pastor

- 7:30 P.M. Devotions: Topic: "Baptist Working Toward a Christian Democracy Through Unity of the Church" The Reverend Thomas Kilgore, Pastor, Friendship Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Address: The Reverend P. A. Bishop, President, General Baptist Convention of North Carolina

Presentation: Moderators of the 57 Associations of North Carolina

JUBILEE THANKSGIVING SERMON: Dr. A. S. Croom, Pastor, Union Baptist Church, Durham, North Carolina

Offering:

Announcements

Benediction: The Reverend S. G. Gilmer, Greensboro, North Carolina

WEDNESDAY, August 5, 1942

- 3:00 P.M. Devotions: "Baptist Working Toward a Christian Democracy in Our Associations, District Conventions and Unions."

1. The Reverend E. W. Dixon, Moderator, Mud Creek Association, Asheville, North Carolina

2. The Reverend O. P. Foster, Moderator, Deep River Association, Burlington, North Carolina

Reports: General Secretary, Director of Religious Education and Training, Executive Board, and Auditor.

Expressions:

1. Mrs. Viola McMillan, President, W. H. & F. M. Convention

2. Mrs. A. L. Filmore, Corresponding Secretary, Woman's Home & Foreign Mission Convention

3. Mr. E. M. Butler, President, State Sunday School Convention

4. The Reverend J. F. Wertz, President, State B. T. U. Convention

Address: Attorney R. N. Simms, former President of Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

Sermon: The Reverend C. W. Anderson, Pastor, Institutional Baptist Church of Greensboro, North Carolina

Offering

Announcements

6:00-7:00 P.M.

DEDICATION OF THE BAPTIST HEADQUARTERS

Scripture: The Reverend W. L. Mason, Rocky Mount, North Carolina

Prayer: Dr. R. L. File, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

DEDICATORIAL ADDRESS: The Reverend L. W. Wertz, Hamlet, North Carolina

Presentation of Keys and Agreements: Dr. R. P. Daniel, President, Shaw University

Receiving Keys and Agreements: Rev. P. A. Bishop

Closing Prayer: The Reverend J. A. Reider, Charlotte, North Carolina

EDUCATIONAL NIGHT

Music Furnished by: Fayetteville Street Baptist Church, The Reverend J. W. Jones, Pastor

- 7:30 P.M. Devotions: "Baptist Working Toward a Christian Democracy in Our Christian School"

1. The Reverend G. E. Cheek, Wise, North Carolina

2. The Reverend J. H. Moore, Charlotte, North Carolina

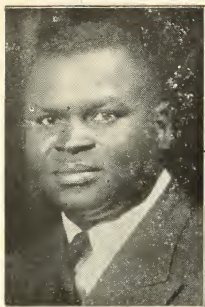
Address: "Educational Development of Baptists of North Carolina," Dr. C. C. Spaulding, President, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company

Address: Dr. R. P. Daniel, President of Shaw University

Oratorical Contest: State B. T. U. Convention

Benediction: The Reverend W. H. A. Stallings, Belhaven, North Carolina

Jubilee Personalities



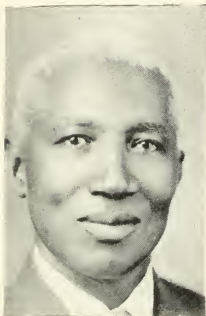
DR. MARSHALL SHEPHERD, *Chairman,
Foreign Mission Board, National
Baptist Convention, Inc.,
Philadelphia, Pa.*



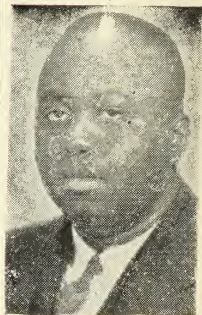
DR. J. L. S. HOLLAMAN, *Pastor,
Second Baptist Church,
Washington, D. C.*



DR. R. P. DANIEL, *President of Shaw University*



DR. J. T. HAIRSTON, *Greensboro,
Chairman of the General Board of
the General Convention*



THE REV. C. W. ANDERSON, *Pastor,
United Institutional Church,
Greensboro, N. C.*

THURSDAY, August 6, 1942

3:00 P.M. Devotions: "Baptist Working Toward a Christian Democracy in Our State Program"

1. The Reverend J. W. Wiley, Weldon, North Carolina
2. The Reverend T. H. Dwelle, Fayetteville, North Carolina

Expressions: "What North Carolina Baptist Has Contributed to Me in My Life Work as Pastor": "Sons of North Carolina in Other States."

1. The Reverend W. C. Williamson, Philadelphia, Pa.
2. The Reverend M. A. Talley, Nashville, Tennessee
3. The Reverend C. C. Adams, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
4. The Reverend C. E. Askew, Detroit, Michigan
5. The Reverend J. J. Freeman, Norfolk, Virginia
6. The Reverend Moses Newsome, Charleston, West Virginia

Expressions: "Impressions I Have Received From Baptist Brotherhood of North Carolina":

1. Dr. H. M. Moore, Charlotte, North Carolina
2. Dr. W. C. Brown, Asheville, North Carolina
3. Dr. W. A. Tutt, Salisbury, North Carolina
4. Dr. J. C. White, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
5. The Reverend F. W. Elliott, High Point, North Carolina

Homecoming Sermon: Dr. J. L. S. Holloman, Pastor, Second Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.

Memorial Hour:

- The Reverend J. D. McCrae, Chairman
- The Reverend H. H. Hart
- The Reverend J. A. Lewis
- The Rev. E. Wimberly

Memorial Poem:

- Mr. J. I. Wooten, Clerk, First Baptist Church, Wilmington, N. C.

Report of Committees and Resolutions

MISSION NIGHT

Music Furnished by:

- Oberlin Baptist Church, The Reverend J. L. Tilley, Pastor, Raleigh, North Carolina
- Tupper Memorial Baptist Church, The Reverend C. C. Jones, Pastor, Raleigh, North Carolina

7:30 P.M. Devotions: "Baptist Working Toward a Christian Democracy for a World Wide Brotherhood"

1. The Reverend J. D. McCrae, Wilmington, North Carolina
2. The Reverend J. W. Tynes, Pastor, Providence Baptist Church, Greensboro, North Carolina

Reviewing the Past:

- Dr. J. W. Hairston, Chairman, Asheville, North Carolina
- Dr. R. R. Cartwright, Bellcross, North Carolina
- Dr. R. W. Underwood, Rocky Mount, North Carolina
- Dr. N. F. Brooks, Beaufort, North Carolina
- Dr. J. Malichi Newkirk, Rosehill, North Carolina
- Dr. G. W. Watkins, Oxford, North Carolina
- The Reverend A. L. Thompson, Lumberton, North Carolina

Missionary Address: Dr. Marshall L. Shepherd, Chairman, Foreign Mission Board, National Baptist Convention, Inc., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Mission Sermon: Dr. G. O. Bullock, Pastor, Third Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.

Plea for Missions:

- The Reverend G. T. Rouson, Murfreesboro, North Carolina
- The Reverend J. P. Laws, Merry Hill, North Carolina

Benediction: The Reverend L. A. Raeford, Fayetteville, North Carolina

Jubilee Personalities



Dr. A. S. Crook, Pastor, Union Baptist Church, Durham, N. C.



Dr. G. O. Bullock, Pastor, Third Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.

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SIXTY-NINTH ANNUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL and FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL B. T. U. CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA

THEME OF THE CONVENTION:

"Baptists Working Towards a Christian Democracy"

Place:

First Baptist Church—Corner Wilmington and Morgan Streets
DR. O. S. BULLOCK, *Pastor*
Raleigh, North Carolina

AUGUST 3-6, 1942

Registration for all delegates will be at Shaw University in
BAPTIST HEADQUARTERS

TUESDAY MORNING, August 4, 1942

Mr. E. M. Butler, President, Sunday School Convention, presiding

- 9:00 A.M. Devotions: Baptist Working Towards a Christian Democracy Through the Youth
Rev. R. Irving Boone, Pastor, Central Baptist Church, Wilmington, N. C.
Rev. H. L. Mitchell, Pastor, Mill Neck Baptist Church, Como, N. C.
- 9:30 A.M. Enrollment of Sunday School & B. T. U. Delegates
- 9:45 A.M. Theme Address: Rev. O. L. Sherrill, Pastor, Spring Garden Baptist Church, Washington,
N. C.
- 10:05 A.M. President's Annual Address, Mr. E. M. Butler, Wilmington, N. C.
- 10:40 A.M. Social Period
The Reverend J. F. Wertz, President, B. T. U. Convention, Presiding
- 10:55 A.M. Worship Through Music:
The Reverend M. E. Neal
Miss A. B. Murphy
- 11:10 A.M. President's Annual Address, Rev. J. F. Wertz, Maxton, N. C.
- 11:45 A.M. Annual Sermon—The Reverend J. R. R. McRay, Pastor, Corner Stone Baptist Church,
Elizabeth City, N. C.
Alternate: The Reverend E. L. Brodie, Pastor, Mitchell Chapel Baptist Church, Louis-
burg, N. C.
- 12:25 P.M. Appointment of Committees
Announcements
- 1:00 P.M. Dinner

Jubilee Personalities



DR. J. W. HAINSTON, *Pastor,*
Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Asheville, N. C.



MR. J. N. BARNETTE, *Administrator*
of the Sunday School Publishing
Board of the Southern Baptist
Convention



REV. J. R. R. MCRAV, *Pastor,*
Corner Stone Baptist Church, Elizabeth City, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, August 5, 1942

Mr. E. M. Butler, President, Sunday School Convention, Presiding

9:00 A.M. Devotions:

The Reverend E. L. Kirby, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Thomasville, N. C.

The Reverend F. O. Bass, Pastor, First Baptist, Reidsville, N. C.

9:30 A.M. Demonstration: Model Sunday School, Mr. M. D. Haywood, Superintendent, First Baptist Sunday School, Raleigh, N. C.

1:30 P.M. Principal Address: "Teaching For Democracy Through the Sunday School," Mr. J. N. Barnett, Assistant Secretary of the Department of S. S. Board Administration, Nashville, Tenn.

Presented by Mr. L. L. Morgan, Secretary, Division of Sunday Schools, Baptist State Convention, Raleigh, N. C.

11:15 A.M. Social Period:

The Reverend J. F. Wertz, President, B. T. U. Convention, Presiding

Worship Through Music:

The Reverend M. E. Neal

Miss A. B. Murphy

12:00 P.M. Principal Address: "Training for Christian Democracy Through B. T. Unions," Mr. J. N. Barnett, Assistant Secretary of the Department of S. S. Board Administration, Nashville, Tenn.

12:45 P.M. Reports of Committees

1:00 P.M. Dinner

THURSDAY MORNING, August 6, 1942

The Reverend J. F. Wertz, President, B. T. U. Convention, Presiding

9:00 A.M. Devotions:

The Reverend G. W. Thomas, President, East Cedar Grove Sunday School Convention, Roxboro, N. C.

The Reverend J. D. McCrae, President, Middle District B. T. U. Convention, Wilmington, N. C.

9:30 A.M. Demonstration: Model B. T. U., Mr. H. T. Johnson, Corresponding Secretary, State B. T. U. Convention, Raleigh, N. C.

10:30 A.M. Musical Devotion:

The Reverend M. E. Neal

Miss A. B. Murphy

Mr. E. M. Butler, President, Sunday School Convention, Presiding

10:45 A.M. Report of Activities of the Department of Religious Education and Training, J. H. Clanton, director

11:05 A.M. Reports of All Committees

12:00 Noon Close—Dinner

CONVENTION PIANISTS

Miss Doris Davis
Miss Mary McIntyre

Miss Eddy V. Hicks
Miss Lucy Thorpe

CONVENTION SONG LEADERS

The Reverend M. E. Neal
Mr. H. C. Gore
Mr. B. J. Adgers
Mrs. Bell Price

Miss Emaline Bazemore
Mr. H. L. Price
The Reverend H. G. Thompson
Miss A. M. Evans

Miss Mary B. McIver

Jubilee



Miss M. A. Burwell, Raleigh,
Former Corresponding Secretary
of the Woman's State Convention



The Rev. L. W. Weitz, Hamlet, N. C., Acting Secretary, Executive
Board, General Baptist State Convention of
North Carolina

Personalities



Miss Eunice Jackson, Former
Director of Religious Education,
Concord Baptist Church,
Brooklyn, New York

Program



WOMAN'S HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION CONVENTION

All Morning Meetings will be held in the
Fayetteville Street Baptist Church, Raleigh, North Carolina

At 3:00 and 7:30 P. M. each day
THE ALL-BAPTIST DIAMOND JUBILEE
In the City Auditorium

MONDAY, August 3, 1942

- 1:00 P.M. Leaders Council Meeting, Mrs. Viola McMillan, Presiding
Special Workers, Auxiliary and Union Officers, Junior Advisors, Junior Supervisors and
all Circle Presidents.
- 2:00 P.M. Executive Board Meeting
Dinner:

TUESDAY MORNING, August 4, 1942

- 6:30 A.M. Prayer and Praise Service
Mrs. Roberta Bunn, Leader and Bible Teacher
Assistants: Mrs. Hulda Dove
Mrs. Annie Willard
Mrs. Catherine Wells
Mrs. Carrie Simms
Mrs. M. H. Williams
Mrs. Mary Dunn
Mrs. Cassie Hill
- 7:30 A.M. Breakfast
- 8:30 A.M. Finance and Other Committees in Session
Convention Music Arranged by:
Mrs. Addie Hairston
Miss Eddy B. Hicks
- 9:00 A.M. Devotions:
THEME: *"Steps Necessary Before Effective Witnessing Can Be Done"*
Miss Mary A. Burwell, Presiding
Assistants: Mrs. J. J. Howze
Mrs. Lula Lucas
Mrs. L. B. Gore
Mrs. A. B. McCleave
Mrs. Mollie Chavis
Mrs. Parthenia Perrell
Supported by Delegates from Districts Represented
- 9:30 A.M. Mrs. Viola McMillan, Presiding

Jubilee Personalities



Mrs. Romerta A. Bryn has been through the years, a motivating spirit serving as special worker, vice president and for the past several years as Bible teacher of the Woman's Convention.



Mrs. Martha J. Brown, formerly junior supervisor; but for the past twelve years field worker of the Woman's Convention.



Mrs. HATTIE E. SHEPHERD, Durham, N. C., a former President of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Convention of North Carolina, only surviving charter member of the Woman's Convention



Mrs. T. S. EASON, Presiding Secretary of the Woman's Convention. She has served the convention for more than thirty years.



Mrs. B. B. ROGERS, Corresponding Secretary for eighteen years; now vice president

THE CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S PLEDGE

Presentation of Host Pastor—Wife and the Host Mission Circle Officers
 Theme Address Mrs. J. T. Hairston
 Invocation The Reverend P. A. Bishop
 Enrollment—Announcement
 Inspirational Singing Our Convention Chorus

10:30 A.M. Mrs. L. L. Walker, Presiding
 Reports of the Administrative Officers
 The Executive Board Mrs. T. S. Eaton
 Annual Message of President Mrs. Viola McMillan
 The Treasurer Mrs. A. B. Johnson
 The Auditor Mrs. M. E. Paisley
 The Field Worker Mrs. M. J. Brown
 The Corresponding Secretary Mrs. A. L. Filmore

12:00 Noon Music Our Conventional Chorus
 Missionary Sermon The Reverend W. A. Tutt, Pastor,
 Calvary Baptist, Salisbury, N. C.
 Associate The Reverend J. R. Stanford, Pastor
 Rock Hill Baptist, Chapel Hill, N. C.

1:00 P.M. Plea for Foreign Missions The Reverend W. C. Somerville
 The Reverend O. S. Bullock
 A Symposium—"Witnessing Within Our State" The Reverend J. H. Clanton
 Superintendent of Religious Education and Training
 The Baptist Training Union The Reverend J. F. Wertz
 The Christian Conference at Shaw University Mr. W. D. Burton
 The Orphanage Mrs. Maggie Frierson
 Little Miss Mattie Lee Thompson
 The Old Folks Rest Home The Reverend G. W. Thomas
 The Baptist State Paper Mr. O. L. Hairston
 The State Board of Missions The Reverend C. E. Griffin
 The General State Convention The Reverend P. A. Bishop
 Response Woman's Convention
 Mrs. Ella C. Pegues

Reports of Special Workers, Auxiliary and Union Officers
 The Appointment of Committees
 Introduction of New Delegates and Visitors
 Pledge to:
 The Christian Flag
 The Flag of the United States
 The Bible
 The Baptist Covenant

2:30 P.M. Dinner

Among the Convention Workers



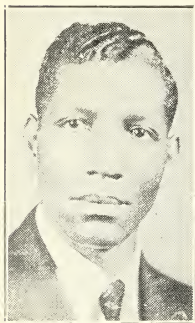
MR. OTIS L. HAIRSTON, Editor of official organ and Director of Jubilee Publicity



DR. G. W. WATKINS, Field Secretary of Baptist State Convention; first editor of "Union Reformer" and co-author of "Who's Who Among North Carolina Negro Baptists"



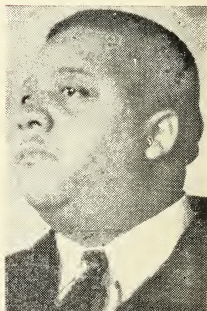
THE REV. M. W. WILLIAMS, Corresponding Secretary of the State Baptist Sunday School Convention; President State B. T. U. Convention and co-author of "Who's Who Among North Carolina Negro Baptists"



THE REV. J. H. CLANTON, Raleigh, Director of Religious Education and Training

NOTE

It is with sincere regret that we were unable to obtain a cut of the corresponding secretary of the Woman's State Convention who is doing a commendable job in that capacity. Mrs. A. L. Filmore is from Durham and is serving her second year as corresponding secretary.



PROF. H. T. JOHNSON, Corresponding Secretary of the State Baptist Training Union Convention

WEDNESDAY MORNING, August 5, 1942

- 6:30 A.M. Prayer and Praise Service
 Mrs. Roberta Bunn, Leader and Bible Teacher
 Assistants: Mrs. Devolia Gordon
 Mrs. A. L. Lawrence
 Mrs. Mattie Sears
 Mrs. Eliza Yokeley
 Mrs. Ada Glenn
 Mrs. Hessie Wells
- 7:30 A.M. Breakfast
- 8:30 A.M. Finance and Other Committees in Session
- 9:00 A.M. Devotions—Mrs. Ellen S. Alston, Presiding
 “Witnessing For Christ Through the Works of Study, Stewardship and Soul Winning”
 The Christian Woman’s Pledge
 Minutes of Previous Sessions Mrs. T. S. Eaton
 Reports of Committee on President’s Address:
- 9:45 A.M. Reports:
 Leadership Training Conference Mrs. E. C. Moore
 Missionary Institute Mrs. A. C. Matthews
 The Reverend T. V. Foster
 Mrs. Maggis Gerald
 Mrs. Clara Moore
 Mrs. M. E. Saterfield
 Mrs. Hattie Hines
- Mission Study Classes:
 One-Day Conferences The District Chairmen
 Solo Mrs. Mary Joplin
- 10:30 A.M. Book Reviews:
 “Missions in The Bible” Mrs. Lendora Y. Brown
 “Stewardship in the Life of Women” Miss Mamie Shephard
 “The Way of Christian Education” Miss Mary White
- 11:00 A.M. Mrs. Viola McMillan, Presiding
 Recognition of African Scholarship Donors, Blue and Pink Ribbon Winners, Awarding
 of County Banners
 A Message in Song Mrs. W. M. Fuller
- 11:30 A.M. Christian Education Hour
 Presentation of Speaker The Reverend W. B. Westbrook
 Message Dr. Robert P. Daniel
 Appeal for Shaw University The Reverend C. E. McLester
 Professor H. T. Johnson
- 1:00 P.M. In Memorial
 Mrs. Donnie Thompson, Presiding
 Assistants: Mrs. W. T. Edmonds
 Mrs. Florence Davidson
 Mrs. Ethel Sellers
 Mrs. Mary Stewart
- 1:30 P.M. A Demonstration “Ministering to the Deaf and Dumb Through
 the Church Mrs. Ora M. Lee
 Music—Oberlin Junior Choir
 “Interracial Relationship as Expressed in Charlotte Miss Capitola Wilson
- 2:45 P.M. Dinner

Pioneer Personalities



DR. R. R. CARTWRIGHT, Belcross,
N. C., a former President,
General Convention



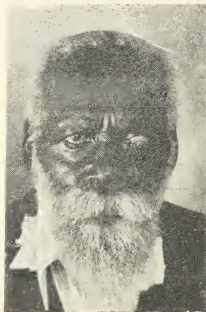
MRS. A. L. RANSOM served as
treasurer, thirty-one years, of the
Woman's Convention. She was
especially interested in the de-
velopment of the Cradle Roll De-
partment and offered working
plans which were adopted.



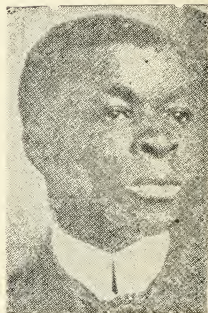
MISS MINNIE C. LYON, Africa,
Missionary in Africa, since
1920



MRS. PATSY WOMACK, age 99. She
is the only one of the founders
of the Wall Street Baptist
Church, Sanford, North Carolina,
now living. She professed faith
in Christ and helped organize the
above named church sixty-four
years ago. She is still an active
member of their church.



MR. MARTIN CAMPBELL, Mooresville,
according to records is 10½ years
of age, built the Mooresville Bap-
tist Church.



DR. W. H. THOMAS, Africa, Brew-
erville Missionary in Liberia

THURSDAY MORNING, August 6, 1942

6:30 A.M. Prayer and Consecration Hour

Mrs. Roberta Bunn, Leader and Bible Teacher

Assistants: Mrs. Laura E. Davis

Mrs. H. E. Edwards

Mrs. Magnolia Farmer

Mrs. Bertha Smith

Miss Myrtle Sturdivant

Miss Lucille Murray

Miss Mary A. Williams

7:30 A.M. Breakfast

8:30 A.M. All Committees Finishing Reports

9:00 A.M. Devotions—Mrs. J. E. McGrier, Presiding

THEME: *Youth Witnessing for Christ Through Study and Application of Good in Life of:*

Samuel Mr. Jessie Sanders

Moses Mr. Willie Bennett

Daniel Mr. James Allen

Joseph Mr. Hubert Gunn, Jr.

Deborah Miss Martha Grady

Mary Magdalene Miss Luella Dickens

Mary and Martha Miss Gertrude Kellum

Esther Miss Eliza Mials

Music Junior Choirs of Seaboard and Weldon

"The Junior Interpretation of the Jubilee Theme" Miss Omega Foster

Music Junior Choirs of Goldsboro

Miss Josie M. Boney, Director

THE CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S PLEDGE

10:00 A.M. Platform Hour—Mrs. M. J. Brown, Presiding

"Witnessing For Christ Through Sharing and Appreciating Gifts for Our Missionary Training Department at Shaw University"

Reminiscence of Former Mission Training School Mrs. Viola McMillan

Introduction of W. M. U. Representatives and Presentation of

Executive Secretary Mrs. J. S. Farmer

"Witnessing For Christ Through a Gift" Mrs. W. D. Briggs

The Acceptance in Behalf of Shaw University

Introduction of the Missionary Training School Instructor . . Dr. Robert P. Daniel

Address Miss Eunice Jackson, Former Director

Religious Education, Concord Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. C.

Acceptance with Appreciation from Woman's Baptist Home and

Foreign Mission Convention Mrs. Viola McMillan

Prayer of Thanks and Consecration (All Standing) Mrs. Roberta Bunn

12:30 Noon Mrs. J. E. McGrier, Presiding

A Message in Song Miss Doris Jean Brodie

"Witnessing Through the Minnie C. Lyon Offering" . . . The Reverend James Everett

Miss Vivian Chavis

Mrs. Ida Mae Oliver

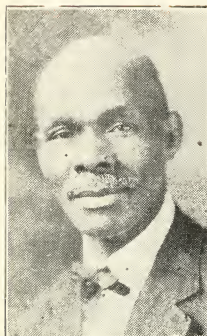
"Our Acceptance of the Revised Junior Activity Calendar" . . Miss Annie Belle Murphy

1:15 P.M. Recognition of Junior Advisors and Supervisors

A Pageant: "Recruiting For Home and

Foreign Mission Service" Mrs. Nora Saunders, Director

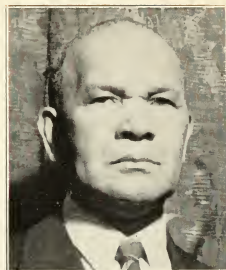
A Message In Song Miss Hazel Long



DR. C. C. SOMERVILLE, Portsmouth, Va., former State Missionary of the eastern district, and former outstanding State pastor.

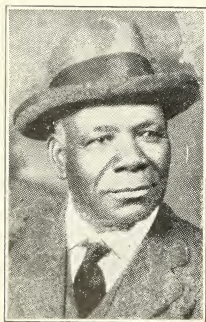


MRS. CORA PAIR THOMAS, Africa, Brewerville Missionary in Liberia



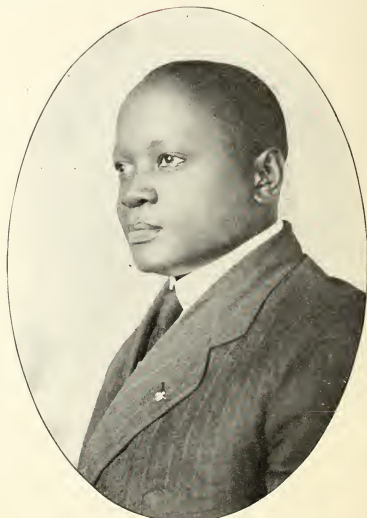
DR. G. W. MOORE, Raleigh, N. C., early State Sunday School missionary

Pioneer Personalities



THE REV. N. A. CHEEK,
Elberon, North Carolina

The Revs. Cheek and Ivey are among the most consistent contributors to the Unified Program. Each are pastors of four rural churches. All four churches of these two pastors have perfect records by sending regular contributions on the first of each month.



THE REV. B. J. IVEY
Charlotte, North Carolina

1:45 P.M. Mrs. Viola McMillan, Presiding

Report on Temperance

Discussed by:

Mrs. Janie Thompson

Miss Ada Poach

Mrs. L. A. Justice

Reports of Committees on:

Officers, Enrollment, Time and Place, Budget, Appropriation, Coupons, Literature
Sales, Materials for Shaw University, Miss Lyon's Medical Supplies, Finance and
Hospitality

Pledges to:

The Christian Flag

The Flag of the United States

The Bible

The Baptist Covenant

Closing Remarks

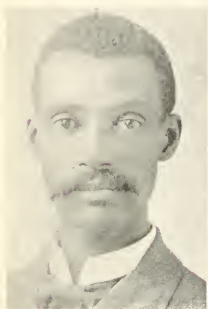
"GOD BE WITH YOU 'TIL WE MEET AGAIN"

Benediction Dr. J. C. White, Pastor
First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N. C.

2:45 Dinner



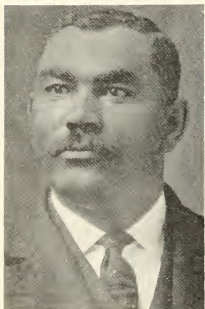
Pioneer Leaders



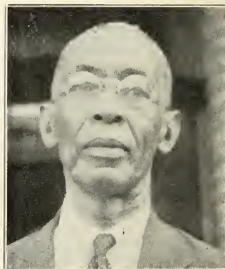
DR. A. W. PEGUES, Raleigh, N. C., missionary for the Baptist State Convention and for 33 years corresponding secretary of State Sunday School Convention.



DR. C. S. BROWN, Winton, N. C., served for many years as General Secretary and as President of Convention



DR. J. A. WHITTED, former Corresponding Secretary, Educational and Missionary Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, author of "The History of the Negro Baptist of North Carolina."



PROFESSOR R. W. BROWN, Winston-Salem, N. C., President of State Sunday School Convention for a number of years.

A Brief History of the Baptist of North Carolina



INTRODUCTION

To trace the origin of Negro Baptist activities in North Carolina requires that we reflect back to the recommendation of a committee on religious instruction of slaves in 1837, urging that places be provided for them in the houses of worship and that their religious instruction receive special attention, and the compliance with this resolution of several of North Carolina white churches providing for the erection of galleries for the accommodation of the colored brethren. This step by many of the white churches may be called the beginning of religious activities on a large scale of Negro slaves. The slaves who attended these services of the whites were often inspired and some few men attempted to preach.

PERSONALITIES BEFORE THE WAR

Before the war there were a few recognized Baptist slave preachers.

The first known preacher was "Uncle Harry Cowan," as he was known at that time. "Uncle" Harry was the servant of Thomas L. Cowan. It is claimed that his master first heard him preach at a funeral and was so impressed with his gift to preach God's word that he was granted "privilege papers" to preach anywhere on his four plantations. His success is said to have been so wonderful and so much of the confidence of his master was imposed in him until his privileges were extended and he was soon allowed to preach wherever he was promised "protection."

"Uncle" Harry was a gospel minister for seventy years. During that time a large number of persons, both white and colored, professed faith in Christ and eight thousand persons were baptized by him.

PARKER

Another outstanding preacher was one Thomas Parker. Approximately four thousand persons were baptized by Rev. Parker.

Passing through every kind of trial and distress, he lived in spite of opposition and changes of every kind.

For thirty years he was moderator of the Kenansville Eastern Association.

ORIGIN OF CHURCHES

In many localities of North Carolina special revival services were held for the colored people by whites at which time great numbers professed faith in Christ. As a result of such meetings numerous churches had their beginning. Among them was the Pleasant Plains Church of Hertford County.

According to Whitted in his *History of Negro Baptists of North Carolina*, "In the instance of the Pleasant Plains Church, it was agreed between a white Baptist and Methodist minister that they would come together and carry on a revival meeting. Large numbers professed faith in Christ, and then the question arose, to which church they would unite. It was finally agreed that the Methodist should stand on the one side and the Baptist minister should stand on the other, and leave it to the option of the candidate on which side he should pass. As might have been expected at that day almost everyone passed on the side of the Baptist preacher, and the Pleasant Plains Church was immediately set apart."

CONVENTION ORGANIZED

The Baptist Educational and Missionary Convention of North Carolina was organized in Goldsboro in 1867. This organization was begun by men very newly emerged from slavery, with the help of a few white men, for the purpose of organizing churches for the recently freed Negro. This organization had also as its aim to secure more ministers and educators for their poor, ignorant brother.

It is believed that the desire for such an organization grew out of the oppression of the Negro Christian before the war. The privileged few, who were allowed to visit prayer meetings and church services, saw and understood what their enslaved brothers were missing, and created among them the desire for separate churches, in which they could handle the discipline and organization of their worship. As soon as the war was won these separate churches were established. Many of these houses of worship were crude structures, grass tents or brush arbors, but were solely consecrated to the worship of the Lord. Upon the establishment of these houses of worship their leaders and organizers saw that they needed some central body to help them outline forms of worship, to help them build churches and secure earnest, educated leaders. The Baptist Educational and Missionary Convention of North Carolina was the answer to these needs and was thereby begun two years after the close of the Civil War.

From the beginning this convention has encouraged missionary and educational work wherever and whenever such was needed. Though its beginning was meager, the convention has grown large and

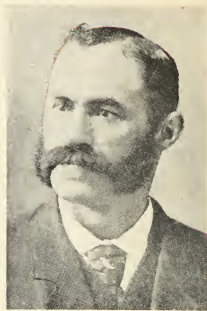
Pioneer Leaders



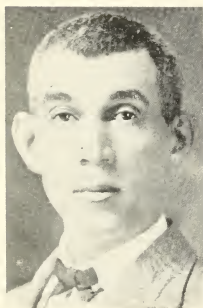
HON. H. P. CHEATHAM, Oxford,
N. C., Baptist Leader



THE REV. W. S. CREECH, Auditor of
General Convention



DR. N. F. ROBERTS, Raleigh, N. C.,
served as president Sunday
School Convention for a number
of years.



DR. A. M. MOORE, Durham, N. C., a
former President, State Sunday
School Convention.



DR. S. N. VASS, Raleigh, Superin-
tendent of work among colored
people under the American Bap-
tist Publication Society.



DR. A. SHEPPARD, Durham, N. C.,
Missionary for America Baptist
Publication Society in North
Carolina for twelve years; first
president of Baptist State Con-
vention.

strong, a growth made possible through faith in God, love, hard work, and the cooperation of the White Baptist Convention of North Carolina.

CONVENTION PROPER

While the Southern Baptist Convention, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina formed a part of the cooperative forces in the plan of cooperation in North Carolina, the greatest influence was the Home Mission Society. Dr. Henry L. Morehouse, who was then corresponding secretary of the society is said to have drawn the entire plan, together with the courses of study laid down in the original plan.

At once the convention of the Colored Baptist took the lead in educational and missionary work. A report of the many secondary schools at the close of the time of the plan of cooperation showed that fifty thousand dollars was raised annually by the colored Baptists of North Carolina in support of their schools.

In spite of criticism, the principle of cooperation was maintained with the encouragement of the white Baptists of the State. The white Baptists stood firmly by them with their moral and financial support.

With all the aid which came to the Negro Baptists of North Carolina, with ignorance, poverty and discouragement staring them in the face, and with conditions as the results of war, and a people set free with no homes, clotheless and often foodless, their struggles were often bitter and disappointing.

They had only an assurance that they were building upon a sure foundation—"the eternal word of God." As the apostle of the Gentile world, they rejoiced that they were "counted worthy to suffer affliction" for the cause which had brought to them light, life and salvation. They meant to blaze their way through the dense wilderness, and tell the story of their salvation.

For a number of years comparatively, little was accomplished. The growth was necessarily slow, but sure. Annual reports were informal, but the annual meetings were usually attended with great spiritual awakenings.

One John Washington was the first field missionary sent out by the convention. According to record Rev. F. R. Howell was the second. Rev. Howell is claimed to have added much strength and forced to the convention and his reports paved the way for the extension of missions into unknown sections of the State.

Because of the enthusiasm and stimulation received through the great success of Rev. Howell, the convention appointed Rev. P. F. Maloy to succeed him as their field missionary.

The appointment of these men was believed to have been in the line of that Providence which was shaping the convention for great future usefulness.

DIVISION

Misunderstanding between the National Baptist Convention and the Educational and Missionary Convention of North Carolina resulted in a split in the State convention in early years. Springing from the division was the birth of a convention in eastern North Carolina known as the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. Fortunately, through sound judgment, the two organizations united three years following the division and changed the name of the convention to the Union Convention of North Carolina.

In time, to avoid suggestivity of the division, it was recommended and adopted that the name of the convention be changed from Union Convention to the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

PRESIDENTS

According to findings the following men have served the convention as president: Caesar Johnson, A. A. Sheperd, C. S. Brown, A. W. Pegues, E. E. Smith, G. D. Griffin, G. O. Bullock, P. S. Lewis, O. S. Bullock, J. S. Brown, K. R. Cartwright, J. T. Hairston and the present president—P. A. Bishop.

FIELD MISSIONARIES

Those who have served as field missionary, the office now known as executive secretary, include: John Washington, E. E. Eagles, F. R. Howell, P. F. Maloy, A. B. Vincent, R. B. Watts, C. C. Somerville, W. T. Woodward, D. J. Moore, G. O. Bullock, S. H. Witherspoon, J. A. Whitted, M. A. Tally, J. H. Moore, G. W. Watkins, Wendell C. Somerville and C. E. Griffin, present executive secretary.

SOME ACHIEVEMENTS

Contributions to Christian education, foreign and home missions have marked the basic activities of the convention since its existence.

The continued success of Shaw University has been largely due to the unprecedented support of the convention. For ten years the convention raised over \$10,000 annually for Shaw in order that Shaw might receive \$10,000 from the General Education Board.

During the campaign at Shaw to raise funds for the erection of the Tupper Memorial Building, the Baptists of North Carolina, led by Dr. Whitted, raised over \$10,000.



THE REV. L. H. HACKNEY, founder and pastor for fifty years of the Rock Hill Baptist Church, Chapel Hill, N. C.

Early Pioneer Leaders



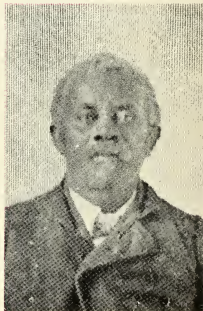
THE REV. THOMAS PARKER, joined the First Colored Baptist Church of Wilmington in 1863; ordained in 1870.



MRS. PATTIE SHEPHERD, served 37 years as president of Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Convention.



THE REV. HARRY COWAN, early pioneer preacher



THE REV. R. H. HARPER, one of the organizers of Educational and Missionary Convention.

SUPPORTED SECONDARY SCHOOLS

In early years the Baptists of North Carolina supported more than twenty-five secondary schools, at a cost of more than fifty thousand dollars yearly. Many of our secondary schools in the State were named by association of the convention.

RESPONSIBLE FOR LOTT-CAREY

It was through the influence of the forces of North Carolina that the Lott-Carey Foreign Mission Convention was organized. Dr. C. S. Brown, influential North Carolina leader in Missionary activities, was the leader in the movement to organize the Mission Convention and was its first president. Dr. Brown served in this capacity for thirty-seven years.

Records show that Baptists of North Carolina have contributed thousands of dollars yearly for the support of the Lott-Carey Convention as well as many of its outstanding leaders.

STATE PROGRAM

Not only has the convention contributed to Christian education and foreign missions, but it has initiated a constructive program of State missions. Leadership Training Institutes for Ministers, Ministers' Associational Conferences, Sunday School and B. T. U. Training Institutes and Daily Vacation Bible Schools are sponsored annually throughout the State to enable church leaders to more effectively serve their churches and communities. Plans are now underway to establish relief funds for aged ministers.

PUBLICATIONS

Through great sacrifices the convention has maintained an official organ throughout its existence. Though the name has changed several times, the publication has remained under the control of the convention.

At present the organ, known as the *Union Reformer*, is printed semi-monthly and is a great influence among the constituency of the convention. It is recognized as a growing institution throughout the State.

EMPLOYS SIX

The General Convention, cooperating with its agent conventions, now employs six full-time workers. Headquarters recently have been completed, providing offices for all departments of the convention at Shaw University.

The influence of the convention is felt throughout the world, and its program of cooperation is considered one of the most unique conventional programs ever put into action.

THE BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Baptist State Sunday School Convention of North Carolina was organized May 1873, in the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, for the purpose of prosecuting Sunday School missions, to cooperate with the American Baptist Publication Society in its work and to establish an orphan asylum for the protection and care of the colored orphans of North Carolina. The convention was organized with Rev. A. Shepard, president and Sherwood Capps, secretary.

Shortly following the formation of its program, missionaries were appointed to organize and develop Sunday Schools throughout the State. The services of those men serving as field agents contributed much to the rapid growth of the convention.

Among the early field missionaries were: Revs. A. B. Vincent, G. W. Moore, E. H. Lipscombe, R. Q. Walden, J. T. Walden, S. N. Vass, M. A. Tally and C. H. Williamson.

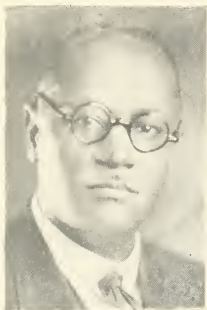
The following men have served as presidents: Revs. A. Shepard, A. W. Pegues, N. F. Roberts, Col. James Young, P. S. Lewis, A. M. Brown and E. M. Butler, present president. Secretaries include, Sherwood Capps, J. W. Paisley, O. S. Bullock, C. H. Williamson, C. F. Graves, E. M. Butler and Miss Ardell Garrett.

At present a field secretary, known as the director of religious education, is employed by the convention to supervise the training of leaders in Sunday Schools throughout the State. Rev. J. H. Clanton now serves in this capacity. As a result of this office, many training courses are offered annually in all points of the State and Daily Vacation Bible Schools are sponsored each summer by almost every Baptist Church.

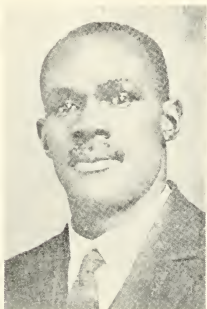
Well might it be said that the Sunday School Convention is a helpful agent to the educational, religious uplift of our people. The work of this training force is doing much to strengthen the work of the General Convention.



In Memoriam



DR. J. J. HOWZE, served as vice president of Sunday School Convention.



DR. W. H. MOORE, Corresponding Secretary of the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina



DR. O. J. ALLEN, former State pastor and vice president of the convention.



DR. W. H. KNUCKLES, Moderator, Lumber River Association, former president of B. T. U. Convention.

THE WOMAN'S BAPTIST HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA

The Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Mission Convention of North Carolina was organized in 1884, with Mrs. Lizzie Neely of Salisbury, president; Mrs. Mary E. Tinsley, of Oxford, treasurer; Mrs. Lizzie Saunders of Henderson, secretary.

For more than sixteen consecutive years Mrs. Pattie G. Shepard remained at the head of the Woman's Organization. This long period of administration of Mrs. Shepard is evidence of the confidence of the women in her ability to lead them. The success of the convention in its early stage was largely due to President Shepard, whom most of the women were glad to follow.

Working with Mrs. Shepard were: Mrs. S. A. Eaton of Henderson, Mrs. Virginia King and Mrs. A. L. Ransom.

³ Differing somewhat from the General Convention, most of the work of the women was done through the executive board, and instead of their sessions being devoted to discussions of business, they were given to addresses and songs and prayers.

Much of the success of the Woman's Convention of North Carolina was due to their affiliation with the Baptist Home Mission Society of Women of Chicago; especially the devotedness of its corresponding secretary, Miss Mary G. Burdette, who served for many years and was always a strong friend to Negro Baptist women.

Mrs. Sallie A. Mial of Raleigh for a number of years field missionary, was indispensable to the work during her day. Equally is this true also of Mesdames E. E. Smith, Alice A. Patterson, Virginia King, R. A. Morris, and Roberta Bunn.

The work of the early set of women workers was divided into home visitation, Bible instruction, charity distribution, organizing, strengthening and building up societies already organized.

Today the Woman's Convention under the leadership of Mrs. Viola McMillan, president, Mrs. E. C. Pegues, vice president; Mrs. A. L. Filmore, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. J. Brown, field worker; Miss M. A. Burwell, Mesdames L. L. Walker, Sallie Eaton and B. H. Rogers of Oxford, is doing more to keep the work going at Brewerville than any other single organization in the Lott-Carey Convention, and are making a great contribution to the progress of the program of the General Convention.

THE BAPTIST TRAINING UNION CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA

In connection with the Baptist State Sunday School Convention, the Baptist Young People's Union Convention was organized in 1900 at a special meeting of the Sunday School Convention held with the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, for the purpose of considering the advisability of a convention to train young people. This convention was organized to meet annually with the Sunday School Convention and would be devoted to the training of young people. Mr. J. P. Williams was elected president, Miss C. F. Blount of Wilmington, secretary; Miss Emma W. Sasser of Goldsboro, corresponding secretary and State organizer, and J. N. Coats of Seaboard, treasurer.

The object of this organization was the: Unification of the Baptist young people, their increased spirituality, their stimulation in Christian service; their edification in scripture knowledge; their instruction in missionary activity through existing denominational organization."

Serving second as president was Dr. C. C. Somerville of Charlotte. Dr. Somerville did much in building up unions during the year he served. However, he was succeeded by Mr. E. H. Young at the next session held at Fayetteville. Rev. W. H. Knuckles was also elected corresponding secretary and State organizer at this session.

Great was the progress of Rev. Knuckles as secretary; and because of the impression he made in making his first report, was elected president.

Among others who have served the B. Y. P. U. Convention, now known as Baptist Training Union Convention, include: Dr. J. B. Davis and Rev. J. F. Wertz. Those who have served as corresponding secretary include: Miss Emma Sasser, Revs. W. H. Knuckles, M. W. Williams and Prof. H. T. Johnson.

The Baptist Training Union Convention is now a potent influence in the training of leaders for the convention.

NOTE:

The author hereby wishes to acknowledge the assistance of the "History of the Baptist of N. C.," by Whitted, and "Who's Who" by Watkins and Williams.

Our Home Goers

A. A. SHEPARD
E. E. SMITH
P. S. LEWIS
R. W. BROWN
C. S. BROWN
COL. J. A. YOUNG
A. J. ROGERS
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O. J. ALLEN

History of Shaw University

Shaw University, an institution of higher learning for Negroes, was founded December 1, 1865, when a theological class was formed in the old Guion Hotel situated where the State Museum now stands. This class was formed by Dr. Henry Martin Tupper who was honorably discharged from the Union Army after serving for three years as a private and as a chaplain. On October 10, 1865, Doctor Tupper settled in Raleigh with his bride, Mrs. Sarah B. Tupper, and in December organized the class which was to develop into Shaw University.

Shortly after the formation of the theological class, Dr. Tupper saw the need of expansion of his activities. With \$500 which he had saved while in the army, he purchased a lot at the corner of Blount and Cabarrus streets and there erected a two-storied wooden structure. With the help of a few faithful followers, he constructed this building from timber prepared from trees that they themselves had felled in the forests. The Raleigh Institute, as it was called, was one of the largest structures of its kind in the city.

In 1870 the present site of Shaw was purchased. It was then called the General Barringer Estate. In 1871 a building was begun on this land and when in 1872 it was finished it was named Shaw Hall in honor of Mr. Elijah Shaw who gave the largest single contribution (\$8,000) toward its erection. At the same time the name of the school was changed to Shaw Collegiate Institute. This remained until 1875 when the school was chartered and incorporated under the name of Shaw University.

Meanwhile another building had been erected for the purpose of housing the girls who were seeking educational advantages at Shaw Collegiate Institute. This building was started in 1873 and was called Estey Hall in honor of Mr. Jacob Estey who contributed generously toward its erection. There followed a period of continued expansion and success for Shaw University.

In 1893, the founder, Dr. Tupper, died and Dr. Charles Francis Meserve was elected to the presidency. During his presidency many advances were made. The old Barringer mansion was replaced by a president's home and an administration building now known as Meserve Hall. Other buildings were erected during his term of office. A modern central heating plant was installed, and all of the old buildings were improved and modernized. Dr. Meserve retired in 1919 and there followed him on January 1, 1920, Dr. Joseph Leishman Peacock who served as president for eleven years.

The administration of Dr. Peacock saw the further advancement of Shaw, the most notable addition in the line of equipment being the erection of the Science Building in 1925.

In 1931 a signal event occurred in the history of Shaw University, in the election of its first Negro president, when William Stuart Nelson was chosen to succeed Dr. Peacock. This event marked a high point in the history of Shaw and also in the history of Negro education.

Dr. Nelson's administration was marked by a revived support of the institution by alumni and friends, general renovating and improving of buildings and grounds, and securing the admission of Shaw University to the group of Negro colleges approved and supervised by the Board of Education of the Northern Baptist Convention.

In 1936 Dr. Nelson was succeeded by the present president, Doctor Robert Prentiss Daniel, during whose administration the most extensive building renovation program in the history of the school has been carried on as well as significant developments in curriculum reorganization, personnel administration, and a program of Christian education. In 1941 an attractive modern home economics practice home was erected as well as a duplex faculty home for two administrative officers, and the W. S. Turner Memorial Gates were rebuilt.

Since the founding of the University, more than 10,000 young men and women have come within its walls and have been trained in heart, mind, and hand. Today they are centers of helpful influence in nearly every State in the Union, and in some foreign countries.

Shaw University receives income from endowment and trust funds amounting to approximately \$385,000 made possible chiefly by the contributions of the General Education Board and the American Baptist Home Mission Society. It is supported through its endowment and by the General Baptist Convention of North Carolina, alumni and friends. The Southern Baptist Home Mission Board makes an annual contribution to the work of the Department of Religious Promotion. The American Baptist Home Mission Society is the custodian of its endowment funds.

Marshall A. Talley

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